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BIOLOGICAL INTERACTIONS

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Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.97, enclosed are references relating to the above-identified application. For the convenience of the Examiner, these references are listed on the attached Form PTO-1449 and a copy of each is enclosed herewith. This Information Disclosure Statement is being filed before receipt of a First Office Action on the merits.

It is respectfully requested that these references be considered in the examination of this application and their consideration be made of written record in the application file.

CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 CFR §1.8

I hereby certify that the documents referred to as enclosed herein are being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail on 8-3-00 in an envelope addressed to: Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231

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Respectfully submitted,

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